UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS

| IN RE PHARMACEUTICAL INDUSTRY AVERAGE WHOLESALE PRICE LITIGATION |)) MDL NO. 1456) Civil Action No. 01-12257-PBS |
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| THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO: |) Judge Patti B. Saris |
| The City of New York v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (S.D.N.Y. No. 04-CV-06054) |))) |
| County of Albany v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (N.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-00425) |)) |
| County of Allegany v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (W.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-06231) |)) |
| County of Broome v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (N.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-00456) |))) |
| County of Cattaraugus v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (W.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-06242) |)) |
| County of Cayuga v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (N.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-00423) |)) |
| County of Chautauqua v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (W.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-06204) |))) |
| County of Chemung v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (W.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-06744) |)) |
| County of Chenango v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (N.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-00354) |)) |
| County of Columbia v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (N.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-00867) | ,)) |

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STIPULATION EXTENDING THE TIME FOR SERONO, INC., N/K/A EMD SERONO, INC., TO ANSWER, MOVE, OR OTHERWISE RESPOND TO THE REVISED FIRST AMENDED CONSOLIDATED COMPLAINT

| County of Cortland v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (N.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-00881) |
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| County of Dutchess v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (S.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-06458) |
| County of Essex County v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (N.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-00878) |
| County of Fulton v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (N.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-00519) |
| County of Genesee v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (W.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-06206) |
| County of Greene v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (N.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-00474) |
| County of Herkimer v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (N.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-00415) |
| County of Jefferson v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (N.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-00715) |
| County of Lewis v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (N.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-00839) |
| County of Madison v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (N.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-00714) |
| County of Monroe v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (W.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-06148) |
| County of Nassau v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (E.D.N.Y. No. 04-CV-5126) |
| County of Niagara v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (W.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-06296) |
| County of Oneida v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (N.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-00489) |
| County of Onondaga v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (N.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-00088) |
| County of Ontario v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (W.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-06373) |
| County of Orange v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (S.D.N.Y. No. 07-CV-2777) |
| County of Orleans v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (W.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-06371) |
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| County of Putnam v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (S.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-04740)) County of Rensselaer v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (N.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-00422) | |
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| County of Rockland v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (S.D.N.Y. No. 03-CV-7055) | |
| County of Saratoga v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (N.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-00478) | |
| County of Schuyler v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (W.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-06387) | |
| County of Seneca v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (W.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-06370) | |
| County of St. Lawrence v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (N.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-00479) | |
| County of Steuben v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (W.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-06223) | |
| County of Suffolk v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (E.D.N.Y. No. CV-03-229) | |
| County of Tompkins v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (N.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-00397) | |
| County of Ulster v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (N.D.N.Y. No. 06-CV-0123) | |
| County of Warren v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (N.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-00468) | |
| County of Washington v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (N.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-00408) | |
| County of Wayne v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (W.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-06138) | |
| County of Westchester v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (S.D.N.Y. No. 03-CV-6178) | |
| County of Wyoming v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (W.D.N.Y. No. 03-CV-6379) | |
| AND | |
| County of Yates v. Abbott Laboratories, Inc., et al. (W.D.N.Y. No. 05-CV-06172) | |

IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED by and between defendant Serono, Inc., n/k/a EMD Serono, Inc. ("EMD Serono") and the above-captioned New York State Counties that have brought claims against EMD Serono that EMD Serono's time to answer, move, or otherwise

| respond to the Revised First A | Amended Complaint | is hereby extended to | August 21, 2008. |
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So ordered:

Hon. Patti B. Saris, U.S.D.J.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Christine Vargas, do hereby certify that I caused a copy of the foregoing Stipulation to be served by electronic means, upon all counsel of record, on this 18th day of June, 2008.

/s/ Christine Vargas_

Christine Vargas